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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : HETTLAGE Confirmation No. 8160
Serial No. : 09/890,831
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For : ROTARY ACTUATOR AND ROTARY SWITCH
Examiner : D. Le
Group Art Unit : 2834
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

SIR:

Applicant hereby appeals the Examiner's decision made in the Final Office Action dated September 23, 2003, finally rejecting claims 13, 14 and 16-25.

Applicant also hereby requests a two month extension of time in which to respond to the Final Office Action mailed September 23, 2003, for which a response period expiring on December 23, 2003 was set. The extended period expires on February 23, 2004. The statutory fee of \$420.00 is to be charged to the account of Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. 1.191 Notice of Appeal fee of \$330.00 to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, Deposit Account No. 11-0600. Any additional fees deemed necessary should also be charged to Deposit Account No. 11-0600. An additional copy of this Notice is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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